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The Translator.—His duties are to furnish such translations as the legariment may require. He also records the commissions of consult and vice confuls, when not in English, upon which exequators are

commissions on which they are issued. Has charge of the ibrary.

Click of the Rolls and Archice.—He takes charge of the rolls, or enrolled acts and resolutions of Congress, as they are received at the department from the President; prepares the authenticated copies thereof
which are called for; prepares for, and superintends their publication,
and that of treaties, in the newspapers and its book form; attends to
their distribution throughout the United States, and that of all documents and publications in regard to which this duty is assigned to the
department; writing and answering all letters connected therewith.

Has charge of all Indian treaties, and business relating thereto.

the diplomatic and consular.

\*Clerk of Pardons and Pasports—He prepares and records pardons and remissions; and registers and files the potitions and papers on which they are founded. Makes out and records passports; keeps a daily register of all letters, other than diplomatic and consular, received, and of the disposition made of them; prepares letters relating

of the government.

5. The conduct and argument of all suits in the Supreme Court of the United States in which the government is concerned.

6. The supervision of all other suits arising in any of the departments when referred by the head thereof to the Attorney General. To these ordinary heads of the business of the office are added at the present time the following, viz:

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tions, or other violations of law, or mail locks and keys, should be di-rected "Chief Clerk, Fost Office Department."

All registers of the arrivals and departures of the mails, certificates of the nervice of route agents, reports of mail failures, applications for blank registers, and reports of failures, and all complaints against contractors for irregular or imperfect service, should be directed "In-spection Office, Post Office Department."

The Navy Department consides of the Navy Department proper, being the office of the Secretary and of five layrens attached thereto, viz: Bureau of Navy, yards and Books, Bureau of Construction, Equipment, and Repair, Bureau of Provisions and Clobing, Bureou of Ordanace and Hydrography, and the Bureau of Medicine and Surgery.

The following is a statement of the duties of each of these offices and of the force employed therein:

of the force employed therein:

Secretary's Office.—Hen. Isaac Toucey, Secretary of the Navy; Charles

W. Wolsh, seq, chief cierk, and eleven clerks. The Secretary of the
Navy has charge of everything connected with the mayal establish
ment, and the execution of all haws relating thereto is intrusted to him,
under the general direction of the President of the United States, who,
by the constitution, is commander in chief of the army and navy
All instructions to commanders of squadrons and commanders of
vessels, all orders of officers, commissions of officers both in the
may and marine corps, appointments of commissioned and warrant
officers, orders for the enlistment and discharge of seamen, emanate
from the Secretary softle. All the duties of the different bureaus are
performed under the authority of the Secretary, and their orders are
considered as emanating from him. The general superintendence of
the marine corps forms, also, a part of the duties of the Secretary, and
all the orders of the commandant of that corps should be approved by
him.

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Bureau of Nacy Vards and Dockz.—Commodore Joseph Smith, chief of the bureau, four clerks, one civil engineer, and one draughteman. All the navy yards, docks and wharves, buildings and machinery in may yards, and everything immediately connected with them, are under the superintendence of this bureau. It is also charged with the management of the Naval Asylum.

Bureau of Molicine and Surgery—Ire. William Whelan, surgeon Uni-d States havy, chief of bureau; one passed assistant surgeon United lates navy, and two clerks. Everything relating to medicines and official stores, treatment of sick and wounded, and management of appitals, comes within the superintendence of this bureau.

# WAR DEPARTMENT.

Hon. J. B. Floyd, Secretary of War; W. R. Drinkard, chief clerk, seven subordinate clerks, two messengers, and four watchmen. The following bureaus are attached to this department:

Ordnance Bureau.—Cot. H. R. Craig, colonel of ordnance; apt. Wm. Maynadier; eight clerks and one messenger.

Act of April 1, 1988, provides that no memore of congress can be a contractor.

Sec. 42. Act of March 3, 1825, provides that no postmaster, assistant postmaster, or clerk in a post office, shall be a contractor.

Sec. 7. Act of March 3, 1825, provides that no other than a free white male person shall be employed in carrying the mail.

The Postmaster General will reserve to himself the right of annuling any contract made under the above act whenever he shall discover that the same, or any part of it, is offered for sale in the market, for the purpose of speculation; and he will in no cases sanction a transfer of the same, in whole or in part, to any assignee or sub-contractor to gualified, in his opinion, than the original contractor to carry the same into successful operation.

AARON V. BROWN,

TOHN D. BARROW and HENRY HOLMES are this day admitted as partners in the Banking House of Chubb Brothers. The firm from this date will be composed of Chas. J. Chubb, Johin B Barrow, and Henry Holmes. The House in Pavenport, lowa, is composed of Charles St. J. Chubb, Wm. H. Dougal, and Alexander H. Barrow, under the firm of Chubb Brothers, Barrow, & Co.

CHUBB BROTHERS,

GT. JOSEPH'S ACADEMY FOR YOUNG LADIES, near Emmitteburg, Frederick county, Maryland.—The annual serieu of studies at the institution commences on the 24th August, and terminates on the last Thursday in June. The terms for board and tollion are \$150 per annum, poyable semi-annually in advance. There are extra charges for mosic, drawing, painting, and also for Spanish, flallain, German, and Lain. The terms for the primary department, composed of pupils under nine years of age, are \$100 per annum, payable half-yearly in advance.

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Township one and fractional township two, of range one.

nships one, two, and three, of range one.
nships one, two, and three, of range two.

NOTICE TO PRE-EMPTION CLAIMANTS.

NOTICE TO ROAD CONTRACTORS.—It being the intention of the board of directors of the Washington and Bockville Turnpike Company to gravel the road from the first toll-gate to its terminus at the District line, contractors are requested to address or apply to the undersigned on the subject on or before the 15th of April next.

No. 30 Louisians ayenue,
J. C. LEWS,
Feb 24—Stawif

No. 32 Seventh street.

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TRAINS leave Washington for Baltimore—
to Sunday at 4\(\xi\_1\), p. m.

Do Sunday at 4\(\xi\_1\), p. m.

Leave Baltimore for Washington— On Sunday as 4 of the Washington— Leave Baltimore for Washington— At 4 ½ and 9 ½, a. m., and 3 and 6 ½, p. m. On Sunday at 4 ½, a. m.

On Sunday at 415, s. m.
Passengers for Philadelphia and New York will take trains at 6, 834, d 445.

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# United States Mail.

VIRGINIA.

PROPOSALS for carrying the mails of the United States from lat September, 1857, to 30th June, 1859, on the following route in the State of Visussa, and in the times herein specified, will be received at the Contract Office of this department until 3, p. m., of the 24th day of July next, to be decided on the following

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# Proposals for Stationery.

calendered, faint-lined, gilt-edged on a calendered, faint-lined, gilt-edged, highly glazed, of the very best quality

50 reams white-laid note paper, gilt-edged, highly glazed, and hard calendered, of the very best quality

30 reams heavy hand-made white medium paper, for books, of the very best quality

20 reams heavy hand-made white royal paper, for books, of the very best quality

20 reams heavy hand-made white super-royal paper, for the very best quality.

books, of the very best quality

18. 100 reams copying paper of the very best quality, color, and style

19. 50 reams heavy highly glazed and hard-calendered envelope paper, royal, yellow, or buff, of the very best quality

20. 50 reams heavy envelope paper, super-royal, hard calendered and highly glazed, yellow or buff, of the very best quality glazed, yellow or buff, of the very best quality, strong and well made

21. 50 reams leavy brown envelope paper of the best quality, strong and well made

22. 30 reams reyal blotting paper of the very best quality, style, and color.

Each item of the above class must be accompanied with a sample of half a ream, or one package, when not packed in half reams, and the bids must state the price per ream delivered at the department.

Class 2.—Envelopes.

factured for person silver cases, with ever-pointed pen-cils of the best kind and quality manufactured for colls of the best kind and quality manufactured for cards for the best makers and quality for dozen steel pens of the best makers and quality for dozen platina pens for dozen albata pens for quilts of the very best quality for dozen albata pens for dozen albata pens for manufactured for the very best quality for dozen bronze initiation quilt pens.

9. 20 dozen bronze initation quill pens.
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10. dozen bronze class.
10. except item 3, in the above class, the idder is not restricted to a particular manufacture, but samples of inferent makers, with the price of each, may be submitted, and the lepartment will select which it deems the best, the price, quality, and itness for the service being all considered.

300 dozen Faber's best black lead pencils, Nos. 1, 2, and 3 300 dozen of the best quality of black lead pencils without reference to the maker's name 30 dozen red and blue lead pencils of the best quality 20 dozen twory propelling pencils, of Mears, or others of CLASS 5 .- Ink, Ink Stands, and Wafers. 12 dozen Fry's improved patent American inkstand 12 dozen cast-iron inkstands

2. 12 dozen cast-iron instands
3. 12 dozen cast-iron instands
4. 20 gallons best inst, the department to have the choice the market
5. 200 gart bottles of the best copying ink, sample bottle be submitted, of the best quality made
6. 300 quart bottles of the best black ink
7. 5 gallons best red ink, the department to have the cho of the market
8. 100 bottles carnition ink, French, small size, in glass best red ink, sample to be submitted
9. 300 bottles carnition ink, French, small size, in glass b ties, with ground-glass stoppers
10. 1,000 large red wafers for department scal
11. 100 pounds wafers, common size, best quality, red
12. 100 pounds wafers, common size, best quality, red
13. 100 the carnitic in class 5 suitable and, convenient samples m submitted, with price attached to each.

Class 6.—Cultury and Miscellament Articles

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1. 20 dozen Redgers's & Sons, genuine or equal, spring erazers with irory handles
2. 50 dozen Redgers's & Sons, genuine or equal, four-bladed Kniese, with stag and pearl handles
3. 12 dozen irory collec shears of the very best quality
4. 6 dozen office sciesors of the very best quality
5. 6 dozen office sciesors of the very best quality
6. 100 spools of the best quality of red lines tape
7. 100 dozen of the best quality of red lines tape
8. 6 dozen of the best quality of red lines tape
9. 6 dozen in the period of secretae cloves, in hanks
9. 6 dozen injunyity pounce baxes
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The plan of studies is designed to prepare young men for advanced classes in college, and also to fit those who may not expect or desire to obtain the hencil to a full collegiate course for respectable stations in its by instruction in the ordinary branches of a sound English education. For the sake of the greatest efficiency, the number of classes, will be limited, so that ample time may be devoted to examination and department.

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